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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, HO

SUBJECT: FY 77 FMS FINANCING

REF: STATE 077148

1. GOH PLANS TO ACCEPT AND CONSUMATE FY 77 FMS CREDIT AGREEMENT. ADDITIONALLY, GOH HAS VERBALLY REQUESTED THAT THE FY 77 LEVEL BE INCREASED FROM \$2.5 TO APPROXIMATELY \$8 MILLION. ALTHOUGH SUBJECT TO MODIFICATION, GOH DESIRES TO PURCHASE THE FOLLOWING MAJOR MILITARY ITEMS IN PRIORITY ORDER:

A. 50 CAL MACHINE GUNS WITH CONCURRENT SPARES AND BASIC LOAD OF AMMO.

B. 106 MM RECOILLESS RIFLES WITH CONCURRENT SPARES, BASIC LOAD OF AMMO AND VEHICLES TO MOUNT THEM ON.

C. ARMORED RECONNAISSANCE VEHICLES, TYPE NOT KNOWN.

D. 38 CAL REVOLVERS.

E. AN EMERGENCY FIXED RADIO COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM TO PROVIDE COUNTRY WIDE COVEGUGE. TYPE NOT YET SPECIFIED.

F. 1/4 TON TRUCKS.

G. AN AIR DEFENSE RADAR SYSTEM. TYPE NOT SPECIFIED.

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE TEAM DESIRED TO SURVEY SITUATION,

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ADVISE AS TO FEASIBILITY FOR HONDURAS AND IN SELECTION OF SYSTEM IF APPROPRIATE.

H. ONE A-37 AIRCRAFT.

2. IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT OF FIRM HC LISTING, WE WILL FORWARD FORMAL REQUEST FOR APPROXIMATELY \$8 MILLION LOAN TO INCLUDE A MORE PRECISE PRIORITY LISTING.

3. RECOMMEND FORTHCOMING REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL CREDIT BE HONORED, IF FEASIBLE. WE ANTICIPATE THAT GOH WILL SEEK ADDITIONAL DIRECT OR INDIRECT CREDITS FROM ISRAEL, BRAZIL, AND/OR YUGOSLAVIA IF DENIED BY U.S.

4. PLEASE ADVISE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF REACTION/POSSIBILITY OF REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL CREDIT.

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